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FALL PRICE LIST

*The Finest  
Iowa Grown*

# Gladiolus BULBS



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*Ken Mar Gladiolus*

P. O. BOX 908

332 Jason Ave.

Iowa Falls, Iowa

## OUR "FAVORITE" COLLECTION

It is just very hard to pick the 10 best varieties of gladiolus, however, for those who have not grown glads too long, this "Favorite" collection is made up of about the very best all-around performers it is possible to pick. They are all beautiful flowers and have that exceptional ability to perform very well when grown most anywhere.

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| 10 Florence         | 10 Spic & Span         |
| Nightingale (white) | (Deep Pink)            |
| 10 Orange Gold      | 10 Red Charm (Red)     |
| (Orange)            | 10 Elizabeth The       |
| 10 Aureole (yellow) | Queen (Lavender)       |
| 10 Dieppe (Scarlet) | 10 Elmer's Rose        |
| 10 Friendship       | (Rose-lavender)        |
| (Light Pink)        | 10 King David (Purple) |

**100 Large Bulbs (labeled) ----- \$3.50**

**100 Medium Bulbs (labeled) ----- \$6.50**

**Free! 10 Bulbs of Seedling 82-52 With Each Order!**

## FALL AND SMOKY GROWERS COLLECTION

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|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 2 L Blue Haze (490)   | 1 L Scarab (584)   |
| 2 L Okinawa (381)     | 1 L Cherokee (590) |
| 2 L Orange Gold (422) | 2 L Voo Doo (490)  |
| 2 L Stormy Weather    | 2 L Dusk (483)     |
| (480)                 | 2 L Toeon (354)    |
| 1 L Allah (490)       |                    |

**17 LARGE BULBS**  
**\$2.80 Value For ----- \$2.00**

## MINIATURE COLLECTION

If you don't grow these popular little beauties, here is your chance to get a start of some of the newer ones.

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| 1 L Bambi (290)         | 1 L Pelletier D'Oisy |
| 2 L Betty Blushes (242) | (290)                |
| 2 L Bo-Peep (231)       | 2 L Red Cap (236)    |
| 1 L Bonnie Prince (262) | 1 L Toytown (224)    |
| 2 L Daintiness (200)    | 1 L Zig Zag (251)    |
| 1 L Green Thumb (212)   |                      |

**14 LARGE BULBS**  
**\$5.95 Value For ----- \$4.75**

# ADVANCE LISTING OF 1957 INTRODUCTIONS

As usual we will co-introduce several of the new creations of the glad world, and, along with these we will offer for the first time three new Dutch varieties that are creating quite a stir amongst growers.

Listed here are but a few of the early releases. A full and more complete description will appear in our Spring Catalog which will be out the fore part of January.

## OUR OWN INTRODUCTION

### **DONNA M. (432) (Hecht '57) (M)**

(Arthusia x Spic & Span). A clean, ruffled salmon with a slight blending of yellow in the throat. Fine substance. Field height 48 inches, 17 to 19 buds with 6 open, 5 in color, flower head of 20 inches average. Has excellent opening qualities when cut in bud and with its useful color could become quite popular for the commercial grower.

**Large or Medium Bulbs \$1.00 ea. or 6 for \$5.00**

### **From The Waterloo Glad Club, Waterloo, Iowa**

#### **GEYER'S GLORY (462) (Lew Geyer, Traer, Iowa) (M)**

It is everyones ambition to breed the "World Beater", Lew came close, particularly insofar as color is concerned for **Geyer's Glory** has few equals in perfection of color. It is a beautiful pinkish-lavender, finely ruffled and with excellent texture. Tall, with medium length flower head of 19 to 22 buds, 6 to 8 open. Wonderful propagator and excellent health.

**Large or Medium Bulbs \$1.00 ea. or 6 for \$5.00**

### **From LEONARD BUTT, Huttonville, Canada**

Each year when it comes time to select seedlings for possible introduction, we soberly cogitate on the best way to introduce them to our customers and to other cataloguers who also list them. No one plan seems to be just right and in an endeavor to find a way in which more people can initially enjoy these grand new varieties we are reducing the price of bulbs and completely eliminating the sale of bulblets.

In this way we feel more people can afford some 1957 models at once and not have the frustration of waiting until they come down in price. We are particularly proud of our three large and five miniature offerings as we feel they will be welcome additions.

#### **Now here is the big news on prices:**

**One Bulb (Size 1 - 2 or 3) for \$1.00**

**Five Bulbs (Size 1 - 2 or 3) for \$4.50  
of one variety**

**Ten Bulbs (Size 1 - 2 or 3) for \$8.00  
of one variety**

**Special collection - one bulb (size 1 - 2 or 3) of  
each one (8 different and distinct varieties) for  
\$6.85.**

Orders will be filled in rotation. Send your order today—specify size of bulbs desired so you will be sure to get what you want.

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**Discount DOES NOT Apply To 1957 Introductions or  
All Americans**



# NEWER VARIETIES

## ALL AMERICA VARIETIES

**APPLEBLOSSOM** (460) (Fischer '56) (65 Days) A very fine and worthy corona type. Snow white with a slightly cream throat and rose edging of all petals. A strong, tall grower, under all conditions rates this All-American high on order list of beautiful and outstanding varieties. 8 open.

**ROYAL STEWART** (450) (Pommert '56) (80 Days) A splendid ruffled clear light red. Outstanding growth, hence its selection as an All-American makes this a must for all glad growers. Tall, up to 5 feet with 10 open is ordinary.

We expect there will be two new All American Introductions for 1957.

**PRICES OF ALL AMERICAN VARIETIES  
NOW REDUCED TO  
50c EACH 6 FOR \$2.50**



**ACE OF SPADES** (554—EM) A very fine ruffled velvety black red. Strong tall grower.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**ALBESCA** (300—EM) One of the best new whites. Very clean color, heavily ruffled and a splendid doer.

**L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-.80**

**ALLAH** (490—EM) Here's an odd color for the smokey fan. Grayish brown with slight red feather in throat. Ruffled and needle pointed.

**L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00**

**ANGELS SERENADE** (406—EM) One of 1955's best cream introductions. Very heavily ruffled, tall, with 19 buds and 8 open.

**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$3.50**

**ANGEL WINGS** (300—EM) This is in our opinion the finest little 300 white grown. 18-20 buds, 6 to 8 open. Delicately crimped and ruffled florets. A really white glad with delicate greenish throat. You must get a start of this one. A bargain price this year.

**L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00**

**ARSENAL** (452—EM) Our Holland import. A rich deep red that when grown and bloomed either early or real late as it does not like extreme heat can make some tremendous spikes. One of our best cutters this season.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 3-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**AVENGER** (464—M) New glistening velvety rose with a large inverted U in throat. Different and very fine.

**L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$3.50**

**BARRETT'S BEAUTY** (401—M) This is one of our best and favorite varieties. Very reliable grower that can make magnificent spikes with many open. A ruffled, needle pointed creamy-white with a rose feather.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**BENGAL ROSE** (562—M) Deep rose (rose-lavender) of nice form and color. Tall grower with up to 8 open. 1955 introduction.

**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$.250**

**BIRD OF PARADISE** (506) (Sommers '54) (EM) A very popular variety—ruffled, fluted, serrated, needle-pointed petals—wide open and up to 8 inches across. Color is creamy pinkish apricot with light pink edges and a deep coral red in the throat. Tops for arrangements.

**L only .50; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**BLACKPOOL** (454) (Visser '54) (M) A new black red that has performed quite well in our field. Fairly tall, 18 buds, 5 or 6 plain petaled florets open.

**L .25; M .20; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**BLUE HAZE** (490—M) Our Holland import. A rather dark bluish red. Unusual color which some say they like very much. Tall.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 3-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**BLUE PETER** (478) (White '56) (M) A new very tall, fine dark blue. So far it has shown remarkable health for a blue and can outgrow Sal. Sensation in our garden. Try this one.

**L \$3.00; M \$2.50; S \$2.00; Blbts. .25**

**BLUE RADIANCE** (477—EM) Another of the 1955 light blue's. Quite tall with long flowerhead. Florets lightly ruffled.

**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$4.00**

**BOUDOIR** (542) (Harris '56) (M) A huge medium pink with light cream throat. Most outstanding grower for us this year. Several spikes over 6 foot tall with 8 open 7 in. florets. An excellent large variety.

**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**BRIER** (462—ML) One of the finer things in the lavender class. A heavily ruffled beauty. Grows with a rather short handle but spikes stretch out quite well. Rose-lavender with white throat. Recommended.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70**

**BRIGADOON** (566) (Butt '56) (M) Bluish-mauve blending to a yellowish throat. Very tall with long flower head with perfect placement. A fine floret color. One of the best '56 introductions.

**L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.24, 100-\$3.50**

**BUTTERFLY** (441—E) An early heavily ruffled multicolored glad. Lavender-pink with a reddish blotch on a yellow throat. Grew very well this season.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**CAMDEN** (406—EM) A large deep cream that did very well despite our intense heat.

**L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00**

**CAMPANILE** (466) (Fischer '56) (85 Days) A fine new true light blue-lavender. Very outstanding and beautiful flower. Very tall, 22 buds with 8 open. A must.

**L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00**

**CANUCK** (532—M) Want to grow them large? Then get some of this giant salmon with a light throat on which are some red pencil markings. Strictly for exhibition.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**



**CAPE MAY** (300—M) Nice white that shows a very faint blue rib marking in the throat. Tall.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**CARVED IVORY** (306) (Fischer '56) (80 Days) New, creamy white which vies for new honors in the ruffled class. Excellent habits—fine texture. 16-18 buds.

**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$4.00**

**CATRONIA** (510—E) A huge very light yellow that can make a magnificent spikes. Slightly ruffled.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**CENTURY** (412) (Woods '56) (ME) Deep rich clear yellow. Unusually fine texture is to make this a very popular variety. Splendid grower with flowerhead of good length.

**L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80**

**CHARMETTE** (352—M) A very small 300 dark glistening red with a silver edging to the petals. Usually a little short on buds but its beauty makes up for that.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70**

**CHEROKEE** (590—M) A new bronzy red that is ruffled and fluted. Good for the smokey fan, tho really not a true smokey.

**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**GOLDEN HARVEST** (412) (Butt '56) (M) The yellows are getting better—and Golden Harvest lives up to its glowing introduction description. Tall, with 22 to 24 inch flowerhead. 20 buds with 6 to 8 open, all perfectly placed.

**L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.24, 100-\$3.50**

**CONRAD** (413—L) A new tall growing deep yellow with a large scarlet feather. Looks like this will be a very fine variety.

**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$3.50**

**CORAL ACE** (532—M) A beautifully ruffled coral pink. A sport of Burma.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**CORONATION** (440) (Murray '56) (M) Pure pink with cream throat—new candidate for best and most beautiful pink. 19 buds, 25" flowerhead and grows 54" tall. 7 open, heavily ruffled and needle pointed.

**L \$2.00; M \$1.50; \$1.00; Blbts. 2-.30, 10-\$1.20**

**CORSAGE** (361—ME) One we call a miniature. Heavy laciniated and needle pointed cream with deep rose margins. Very unique and unusual glad. Nice in small bouquets.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**CRUSADER** (301—E) One of the finest we grew this year. A beautiful ruffled white with a prominent pansy-purple blotch.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**CUMBERLAND** (352—EM) New 300 size deep red. Good grower and looks like it may have commercial prospects.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**DAVID WARR** (436—M) A fine rich scarlet, nicely ruffled and needle-pointed. One that you must surely grow. 100% cutter.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**DISPLAY** (520—M) Ruffled apricot orange. Very heavy texture and a fine grower. Tall.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**DUSK** (483—M) Exceptionally healthy and vigorous dusky shaded old rose with large, bold white throat.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**EARLY PURPLE** (471) (Fischer '56) (70 Days) A cream throated light purple of beauty. Excellent propagator and will become quite popular.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**EARLY RED** (450—E) A fine early florist red. Brilliant color and a good grower for us.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**EDGEWOOD** (561—ML) Deep Lavender-rose. Lightly ruffled Tall spikes with up to 8 and 10 open.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**EMILY'S BIRTHDAY** (324—E) One of the very earliest to bloom. a butterfly variety of apricot-salmon with a yellow throat dusted with scarlet.

**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**ETHERAL** (440—M) Here is one of the best exhibition glads we grow. Makes a tremendous spike of light pink with white throat with many open. A sure winner on the show table.

**L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80**

**EVENING STAR** (500—ML) About the most heavily ruffled white glad grown. A fine large variety. Very heavy substance.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**FIRE OPAL** (422—M) Bright orange with golden throat. Heavy texture and ruffled.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**FORT KNOX** (412—EM) A large deep yellow, similar in color to gold. Good grower and one you'll like.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**FRANCESCA** (560—L) Still in our opinion the most beautiful glad grown. A delicate blending of rose pink and yellow. Finely ruffled.

**L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-.80**

**GATES OF PEARL** (507) (McRae 55) (M) A cream, to light pink. Finely ruffled, of good height, 20 buds with 8 open. An overlooked variety, one you'll really love to grow.

**L only .50; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**GOLD** (412—M) Rich clear golden yellow. Finest yellow for color grown today. Short on buds but a tall grower and color makes up for this short-coming.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70**

**GOLD BANK** (410—M) Very fine new chartreuse yellow. Exceptionally heavily ruffled, fluted and needle-pointed.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**GOLD BOND** (510—M) Best new 500 size medium yellows. Not quite as golden a color as Gold but grows taller with more buds.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**



**GOLD CHEVRON** (310) On the unusual side—florets are lacinated and needle pointed. Florets are light yellow without any noticeable trace of another shade. Up to 6-7 open. Florets are well placed on tall and always straight spikes.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**GOLDEN DIANA** (412—ML) A surprise grower in 1955. Proved to be one of our best cutters—a clear deep yellow, nicely ruffled with many open.

**L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00**

**GOLDEN HOUR** (312) (Fischer '56) (80 Days) "200" Little Gold in a new size. 16-17 buds of real gold, heavily ruffled.

**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$4.00**

**GOLDRUFF** (312—EM) Butterfly. An apricot yellow with yellow throat. The butterfly varieties are characteristically of very heavy texture and intense ruffling with very small bottom lip petals.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**GORGEOUS DEB** (530—M) Heavily ruffled rich salmon with a golden throat. Good local cut flower.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70**

**GREAT DAY** (460—M) A very much glorified Elmer's Rose, slightly deeper rose, heavily ruffled and needle-pointed. Fine.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**HALO** (401) (Woods '56) (E) Another fine Corona type glad. Ruffled and recurved florets of white with a halo of rose pink around each petal. Fine grower and a beauty.

**L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.24, 100-\$3.50**

**HERALD** (316—EM) Another butterfly. A deep yellow with some orange shading and a large red blotch in the throat. Extra heavy texture and ruffling.

**L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00**

**HOWARD J. WARR** (522—M) A new red contender. A fine medium red that grows tall on a 24-inch flowerhead that can open 8. Extra heavy texture, heavily ruffled and needle pointed.

**L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.24, 100-\$3.50**

**INDIGO** (478—EM) Pansy-blue (nearly purple) with a reddish throat and lighter mid ribs. One you'll surely like.

**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**IROQUOIS** (452—EM) Good growing red with deeper throat markings. Should be a good commercial red as it's quite early.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**JESSIE MAE** (443—M) Deep pink with scarlet throat feather. Heavily ruffled.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**JUNO** (460—M) A new light rose of refinement and beauty. A new variety that should become a very reliable commercial. Florets frilled and slightly recurved.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**KAREN** (465—M) Deep violet red or magenta with a large cream center and white mid ribs. Can be quite outstanding and different.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**



- KERRY DANCER** (336—E) Butterfly variety. Scarlet with a prominent yellow throat on which is dusted with red pepper. A little short on buds (15-16) but a nice little addition to the novelty class.  
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$.250
- KING DAVID** (570—M) Deep purple with red throat and a silver edging. Heavily ruffled, fluted and winged.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70
- KING SIZE** (531—M) Giant-medium salmon-pink with slight carmine lines on a cream throat. Tall.  
L only 25c; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- KNIGHTHOOD** (470—M) Rich pansy-purple with a round floret. Has been very good cutter for us.  
L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-.80
- LARCHMONT** (400) (Woods '56) (M) Another fine 1956 white. Very outstanding growth with a simply wonderful and beautiful tailored spike. Wide open, ruffled of heavy texture. 8 open.  
L \$1.50; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 10-\$1.50
- LAVENDER BEAUTY** (466—M) Light lavender which has been our very best cutter. Grows tall. Was reserve single spike champion at Iowa Show against the entries of the Shrimp Brothers.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70
- LOOK** (540—M) Very light pink. Good grower and a wonderful florist glad.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- LORELEI** (406) (Howell '55) (80 Days) An outstanding white, heavily ruffled, with cream throat. A beauty to behold. Every spike is trim and straight—an ace performer that has won admiration from all. You should grow it.  
M .50; S .25; Blbts. 5-.25 100-\$4.00
- MADRIGAL** (442—M) Another ace performer in 1955. Our three-spike was judged grand champion at Ames. Beautiful Azalea pink with a deeper diffused throat. Opens 8.  
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$.250
- MANDALAY** (590) (Butt '56) (M) It has been our pleasure to test many of Leonard Butt's seedlings before their introduction. Len sent us Mandalay in 1954. It was a top performer, again in '55 it was even better. Probably our report played a small part in it being selected for introduction in '56. This year it has taken over the smoky field. Everyone has went wild for it. If you like smokys here's your new favorite, I'm bettin'. Mohogany red smoky, 5 ft. tall, 30 inch flowerhead, 7-8 open. We recommend it.  
L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.24, 100-\$3.50
- MANDARIN** (420—M) Deep tomato red with deeper markings on lower petals. Very heavy texture and ruffling.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- MARGERY** (462—EM) Bright cerise rose with a darker rose throat. Fine grower, tall and with a fine 21 bud spike. Good texture and color.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- MARIGOLD** (420—M) Clear tangerine orange. Ruffled. Good grower.  
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$.250

- MENELIK** (554—ML) A Dutch variety of merit. Very tall growing black-red. Opens 10 very easily. Outstanding.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- MINARET** (432—M) Salmon-pink with an ivory throat, slightly ruffled. Tall grower with 7-9 open.  
L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80
- NAOMI** (300—E) A nicely ruffled pure white with a cream throat. A very fine variety of good texture and one that might become a good commercial.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- NEGUS** (354—M) Another outstanding Dutch velvety brown red. A sure blue ribbon winner as nothing can come close to it on a show table. Opens 10.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60
- ORCHID FRILLS** (466—M) A nicely ruffled new light orchid with a slightly creamy throat. One of the more beautiful of the new Fischer introductions.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- PATMOS** (586) (Mckae) (LM) Very beautiful rose-ash with a brilliant rose throat. The color is soft and beautiful, not harsh. 20 buds, 26 in flowerhead, 5-6 open. Another fine variety for smoky fans.  
L only .50; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50
- PAUL BUNYON** (540—M) A huge salmon pink—one of the giants. 22 buds. Nicely ruffled, fluted, rolled, etc. Truly an exhibition pink.  
L only .50; Blbts. 10-.50
- PENNANT** (440—L) Very nice very light rose pink. Responds to forcing.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60
- PINK DIAMOND** (440—EM) Light to medium pink. Very heavy texture and nicely ruffled.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- PINK CHIFFON** (440—EM) Very fine light orchid-pink. Very good florist cut flower.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60
- PINK ELEGANCE** (540—M) Here is another 1955 introduction that should become very very popular. A beautiful shade of pink with the two lower petals being almost a clear white. Texture is very heavy and ruffling is superb. This one you will want.  
L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$3.50
- POLARIS** (500—EM) Tall, giant white. Plant real early for best bloom.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- PRINCESS** (466—EM) New medium rose lavender that looks destined to replace Elizabeth the Queen. Grows taller, has longer flower head and can open 8 to 11 perfectly placed florets. You should grow this one.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- PROSPECTOR** (410—M) Amber yellow which is quite a different shade than the usual yellows. Outstanding grower and can win on the show table. One you will surely want to grow.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00



- PURPLE BURMA** (570—M) One of the finest of the Burma sports. Exactly like Burma except the color is a fine suede like purple. Rapid propagator, thus the low price for a 1955 introduction.  
**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**
- RED FEATHER** (542—M) A new giant red, and one of the very best. Tall and vigorous. Can open 10 easily. Recommended if you like red.  
**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**
- RED RYDER** (450) (Bastian '56) A fine new medium red. Splendid grower and should become a fine commercial. 8 open, 8 in color. Tall grower.  
**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**
- RED TAPE** (552—EM) Another giant red a shade or two darker than Red Feather, but about the same type performer. Not quite as many buds, but a good one just the same.  
**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**
- REGINA** (516—EM) Here's one you'll surely want. A reliable very heavy textured, wavy and ruffled apricot and yellow with a prominent scarlet blotch.  
**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**
- ROSALIND** (430—M) A blending of soft pastel pink and yellow. Heavily ruffled and heavy texture add to its beauty.  
**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**
- ROSARIO** (461—EM) Vivid rose with a prominent deeper blotch in the throat. Nicely ruffled.  
**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**
- ROSEBUD PICOTEE** (460—M) Ruffled white with a rose-pink halo. Good grower too.  
**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**
- ROSE LUSTRE** (532—M) Large bright deep salmon with a slightly deeper throat. Tall grower with stretchy head and one that can open up to 10.  
**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$4.00**
- ROSELYN** (462—EM) Deep rose with darker lip petals. Very heavy texture and nicely ruffled.  
**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**
- ROSITA** (563—M) New rose with lighter picotee edges and deeper rose throat. Fine tall grower.  
**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**
- ROSY WINGS** (460—M) Beautiful light rose, ruffled and of heavy texture.  
**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**
- ROYAL VELVET** (470—M) A soft shade of medium purple. Good grower and quite different and attractive color.  
**L .30; M 2-.40; S 3-.35; Blbts. 12-.25, 100-\$1.50**
- RUFFLED EBONY** (454—M) A very fine ruffled black-red. Short on buds, only 16, but its beauty makes up for this shortcoming.  
**L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-.80**
- SAILOR BOY** (476—M) A new color in blue—a medium to light blue with a pale yellow throat on which are some deeper blue lines and a blue spear. Grew very well, tall and straight and opened 6. A good new light blue.  
**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$4.00**

- SALMAN'S SENSATION** (578—ML) Tallest of the medium blues. We've grown it 6 and 6 1/2 ft. tall.  
L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-.80
- SALMON QUEEN** (532—M) The most talked of 1955 introduction, and well it is. This fine salmon with a creamy white throat is an outstanding grower. Tall and stately with a long flowerhead.  
L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$3.50
- SANS SOUCI** (436—M) Bright scarlet, the leader in its color. Tall growing with 8 round brilliant florets open at a time. Very fine.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70
- SCARAB** (584—M) Ace of rather striking beauty and performance. Smoky rose with light yellow throat and a cerise spear.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- SENEGAL** (470—EM) New red purple, waved and ruffled.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- SHALLIMAR** (362—M) Tall growing rose with deeper throat and each petal edged in silver. Opens many.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- SNOWDRIFT** (400—EM) Heavily ruffled and textured white. Responds favorably when forced.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- SNOW VELVET** (400) (Fischer '56) (80 Days) Our most outstanding new variety grown in '56. Fine, tall, heavily ruffled spire of white. A true white with no cream in throat—just white.  
L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$4.00
- SONOMA** (537—M) Bright scarlet with cream throat. Can be outstanding with up to 26 buds.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- SOUTH POLE** (400) (Dutch) (M) A splendid new white, a tall grower, 6 to 8 open. Tall ramrod straight spikes. Round florets of good substance.  
L .25; M .20; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- SPARKLING EYES** (401) Fine new white with a small violet purple blotch on lower petals. Very fine.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60
- SPRITE** (322—ML) Butterfly. Orange and yellow with very heavy texture and ruffling.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70
- SUMMER QUEEN** (542—M) New huge salmon-pink. Slightly ruffled, tall and vigorous. Fine new addition to this class.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60
- TEXAS WHITE** (500) (Fischer '56) (95 Days) Very large late blooming white that should become a fine commercial as it opens very well when cut in bud. Very tall, 20-22 buds.  
L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00
- TIMES SQUARE** (470—E) Similar to old King David but a much bluer color. Excellent placement.  
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50
- TOBROEK** (454—M) Dutch import variety. Velvety brownish-black. Florets are needle-pointed and ruffled. We like this one.  
L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70



**TOEAN** (354—M) Another of our Dutch imports. Dark black-red. Florets are somewhat needle-pointed. 15 buds.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70**

**TOUCHDOWN** (460—M) Medium rose pink—a pink Picardy. wonderful health. Try it, you'll like it.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; S 4-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.70**

**TRULY FAIR** (452—E) Early american beauty rose. Very fine color and a good grower.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00**

**VELOUR** (370—M) Ted Woods introduced this wonderful Rhodamine purple and a fine one it is. Tall, stretchy that can open 8 to 10 perfectly placed florets of intense color and beauty. This one will surely become very very popular.

**L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$3.50**

**WAX CANARY** (516) (Woods) (85 Days) Light salmon blending deeper toward edges with yellow in the throat. Tall grower and good propagator. One of the best for us in '56.

**L only .50; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**WEDGWOOD** (366—E) A truly beautiful lavender with a creamy yellow throat. Heavy substance and delightfully ruffled.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**WHITE AUTUMN** (400) Commercial white of quite reliable habits. New Dutch variety now being quite widely grown.

**L 2 for 30c, Med. 3-.30; Blbts. 20-.25, 100-.75**

**WHITE PLUME** (500—M) New white similar to Mother Fischer but a little larger. For a 500 this should become a fine variety.

**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$3.50**

**WHISTLE STOP** (462—ML) Ruffled, heavy textured rose purple. Very fine, tall grower with up to 24 buds.

**L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$2.00**

**WILD ROSE** (460—M) A Glorified Rose Charm. Little deeper rose with a cream throat. Splendid grower and will probably replace Rose Charm eventually.

**L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25; 100-\$1.80**

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# QUANTITY PRICES - - - Not Prepaid

Prices are per 100. 25 or more of one size and variety at one-fourth 100 rate.

	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	Bulblets	
							½ Pt.	Qt.
Angel Wings	25.00	20.00	15.00	12.50	10.00	8.00	10.00	30.00
Andrena	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Aureole	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40			1.25	3.50
Beauty's Blush	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	3.50
Barrett's Beauty				10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	15.00
Blue Beauty	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00		2.00	6.00
Bridal Orchid	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
Buckeye Bronze		5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Burma	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Coral Ace	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
Crusader	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	3.00
Cupid	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
David Warr	14.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	8.00	25.00
Dieppe	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	3.50
Dolly Varden	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Dusk	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	3.00
Elizabeth the Queen	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.50
Elmers Rose	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
Florence Nightingale	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
Friendship	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.50
Golden Arrow	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.50
Juno	12.00	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	8.00	20.00
Leading Lady	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Leif Ericsson	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00
Orange Gold	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
Polynesia	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Purple Burma	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	6.00	15.00
Red Charm	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Regina	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	6.00	15.00
Rosebloom	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Rosebud Picotee	12.00	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	8.00	20.00
Rosiland	32.00	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00	20.00	60.00
Rose O'Day	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Salmons Sons	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	6.00	15.00
Sherwood	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.50	5.00
Spic & Span	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.50	5.00
Summer Queen	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
The Rajah	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	4.00
Times Square	32.00	25.00	20.00	18.00	15.00	12.00	20.00	60.00
Toean	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	2.00	7.00
White Gold	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
Wild Rose	15.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.50	10.00	25.00
Winston Churchill	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	2.00	6.00

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# REGULAR VARIETIES



Large	-----	2 for 25c,	10 for \$1.00,	25 for \$2.00
Med.	-----	3 for 25c,	10 for .70,	25 for \$1.40
Small	-----	5 for 25c,	10 for .40,	25 for .80
Bulblets—bag 25c				



**ABU HASSEN** (378) Deep violet blue  
**ALGONQUIN** (536) Red  
**ANDRENA** (440) Phlox pink  
**ASTRID** (462) Medium rose  
**AUREOLE** (410) Ruffled yellow  
**BEAUTY'S BLUSH** (440) White blushed pink  
**BLACK OPAL** (354) Very dark red  
**BLUE BEAUTY** (476) Blue  
**BOISE BELLE** (343) Ruffled salmon and gold  
**BOLDFACE** (533) Scarlet with white throat  
**BONNIE BRAE** (430) Salmon-pink  
**BOULOGNE** (564) Wine red  
**BRIDAL ORCHID** (566) Light lavender  
**BUCKEYE BRONZE** (490) Rosy bronze-brown  
**BURMA** (564) Ruffled rose-red  
**C. D. FORTNAM** (440) Pale rose-pink on white  
**CHIEF PONTIAC** (524) Orange  
**COTILLION** (545) Deep pink with a cream throat  
**CUPID** (300) Very early ruffled white  
**COLUMBIA** (407) White with pink edging  
**CYMBELINE** (460) Rose salmon with a cream throat  
**DARK DAVID** (554) Huge glossy maroon red  
**DIEPPE** (436) Ruffled salmon-scarlet  
**DOLLY VARDEN** (532) Salmon with cream throat  
**DUSTY MILLER** (486) Smoky old rose  
**ELIZABETH THE QUEEN** (566) Queen of the ruffled lavenders  
**ELMER'S ROSE** (462) Ruffled deep rose  
**ETHEL CAVE COLE** (440) Early pink  
**FAIRYLAND** (342) Ruffled medium rose  
**FIREBRAND** (452) Bright medium red  
**FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE** (400) White  
**FOLKLORE** (462) Deep orchid pink  
**FRIENDSHIP** (442) Most popular early pink  
**GINGER** (422) Rich ruffled orange  
**GOLDEN ARROW** (510) Light, ruffled yellow  
**HAWKEYE RED** (450) Medium red sport Vagabond Prince  
**JUNE BELLS** (406) White with cream throat  
**KLONDIKE** (412) Slightly ruffled yellow  
**HEART O' GOLD** (401) Early white with yellow lip petals  
**HEATHER** (466) Rose mauve  
**HEIRLOOM** (566) Ruffled orchid lavender  
**JINI MARIE** (432) Ruffled salmon pink



**LADY ANNE** (400) White with yellow throat  
**LAKE PLACID** (406) Cream with yellow throat  
**LEADING LADY** (506) Cream white  
**LEAH GORHAM** (451) Red with white throat  
**LEIF ERICSSON** (560) Large, fine cream  
**LODSTAR** (410) Ruffled medium yellow  
**MASCUSHLA** (460) Deep bengal rose  
**MAGNET** (562) Rose lavender  
**MISS WISCONSIN** (462) Medium rose  
**NORTHERN LIGHTS** (400) White with purple throat lines  
**NOWETA ROSE** (568) Rose lavender  
**OKINAWA** (381) Light rosy chocolate  
**ORANGE GOLD** (422) Orange  
**PARTHENIA** (568) Deep lavender  
**PEACH GLOW** (416) Buff orange  
**POINSETTIA** (450) Scarlet-red  
**POLYNESIA** (430) Deep salmon  
**QUEEN OF THE NIGHT** (354) Blackest—Black-red  
**RAVEL** (477) Violet blue  
**RED CHARM** (452) One of the best reds  
**RED GLEAM** (433) Ruffled scarlet with yellow throat  
**ROSA VAN LIMA** (460) Rose pink  
**ROSEBLOOM** (463) Rose lavender  
**ROSE O'DAY** (462) Rose lavender  
**SALMAN'S GLORY** (507) Cream with scarlet blotch  
**SHERWOOD** (570) Silky red purple  
**SIERRA SNOW** (400) Ruffled white  
**SOUTHERN BELLE** (483) Pink with smoky edge  
**SPARKS** (411) Yellow with orange-scarlet feather  
**SPIC AND SPAN** (444) Best ruffled medium pink  
**STOPLIGHT** (450) Commercial red  
**STRAWBERRY PEACH** (517) Orange-pink with scarlet feather  
**THE RAJAH** (570) Ruffled reddish purple  
**TREASURE ISLAND** (540) Light rose-orchid pink  
**VAGABOND PRINCE** (391) Mahogany brown with flame blotch  
**WHITE GODDESS** (500) Large cream white  
**WHITE GOLD** (506) Early cream white  
**WHITE WAVE** (500) White  
**WINONA** (406) Cream  
**WINSTON CHURCHILL** (450) Blood red

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# MINIATURE VARIETIES

- ALL BLOTCHES** (261—70 days) A light creamy rose with very large purple blotches on all lower petals. Very showy. Grows tall with a wiry stem. Very healthy and clean.  
L 2-.40; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-.80
- ATOM** (236—E) A fiery scarlet with white edges. 15 buds with 4-5 open. Very fine and popular.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- BABS** (210—E) One of our favorite of the miniatures. Trim heavily ruffled, wide open florets of pleasing light yellow. Not a pale yellow.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- BABY DECORAH** (200—EM) Nice small ruffled white. One of the old timers. Opens only 4 or 5.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- BAMBI** (290—E) An outstanding and distinctive chartreuse color, delicately ruffled glad. The chartreuse is further enhanced by a prominent orange-red throat mark and picotee of the same color. Has won many championships. 14-15 buds.  
L \$1.00; M \$1.00; .50; Blbts. 3-.25, 15-\$1.00
- BETTY BLUSHES** (240—E) A provocative little pink glad. Just as its name implies—it actually blushes.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- BONNIE PRINCE** (262—E) A medium rose-lavender, heavily ruffled and needle pointed. Grows quite tall and can open 8 of its 16 buds.  
L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50
- BO-PEEP** (240—VE) Fine buff pink blending to creamy yellow throat. Heavy texture and ruffling. 6-7 open. One of the very first to bloom.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- BROWN ORCHID** (290—E) Fine smoky brown with odd yellow mid ribs on a darker throat. Quite different.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- CLAUCARCY** (241) Pink with cream throat and light mid ribs. Extra long flower head of 18-20 buds. Can open 7. Has won quite a few awards on the show table.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- CORAL BELLS** (136—E) Smallest bell shaped scarlet. Quite unusual arrangements can be made with Coral Bells.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- CRINKLETTE** (244—VE) The glad from which the ruffled miniature race springs. Orange pink and yellow. Slight feather in throat. Heavily ruffled.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25
- DAINTINESS** (200—E) An exciting, heavily ruffled miniature in a new color that should make it much in demand. Daintiness is a creamy white with cream throat, no hint of any outside color or throat marking. 16 buds, 7 open. A must.  
L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$1.00
- DOLORES** (240—E) Light pink with large white throat. Three and four open on fine little spikes.  
L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**FARMINGDALE** (268—M) Dark lavender with slight yellow throat markings. Tall. 18 buds.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00**



### DAINTINESS

The finest new heavily ruffled white miniature. One every miniature fan must have.

**FIGURINE** (216—E) An autumn toned glad in apricot and brown that builds an immaculate spike. Opens 8-9 precision placed florets and is tops for exhibition use as well as making interesting and attractive designs for florists use.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**

**FLICKER** (221—ME) Medium orange with bright scarlet blotch on a yellow throat. A very spectacular color combination and a delightful all around miniature.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**FLUFFY RUFFLES** (206—E) A real old variety. A fine little cream. 3-4 lacinated florets open on 12-15 bud spikes.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**GNOME** (110—E) Very small face up white.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**GOBLIN** (242—E) Clear pink with yellow throat; fine color; heavy texture and very ruffled. Grows to medium height; spikes straight; 16-17 buds, 7 open; excellently placed and attached.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00**

**GOLDETTE** (212—EM) Deep golden yellow. One of our finest miniatures, as it sets a new style hardly conceived possible only a few years back. This is truly a miniature of the same type as the best in the big ones.

**L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$2.50**

**GREMLIN** (251—E) Good variety for small bowls and bouquets as the florets face up towards you. Other face up varieties are small and plain petalled and this is the first time we have had a ruffled glad of this type.

**L 2-.30; M 3-.30; 4-.25; Blbts. 25-.25, 100-.60**



**GREEN THUMB** (212) (Butt '56) (E) New queen of the yellow miniatures—buds are actually green, tho when open the color is a greenish yellow. Deeply ruffled of very heavy substance and capable of opening 7 to 10. For the show its a champion sure.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$.250

**HEIDI** (210) (Harris '56) (E) Fine new ruffled yellow miniature, grows 36" with 19 buds, 8 open. A fine advance in variety and form.

L .50; M .35; S .25; Blbts. 8-.25, 100-\$.250

**JINGLES** (230—M) One of the finer miniatures, a pinkish-salmon of extra fine ruffling. 15-17 bud spikes with 5-7 open. A sure must to the lover of the small ones.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**LaARGENTINA** (223—M) A tall bronzy orange with cream throat pencilled with red. 6 open on willowy stem. Good grower. Odd color but neat.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**LIFE** (252) (Butt '56) (EM) Clear light red with large yellow throat. Heavily ruffled, 16-18 buds of good height and stretch. Very fine new addition.

L \$1.00; M .75; S .50; Blbts. 4-.24, 100-\$.350

**LITTLE GOLD** (212—M) A deep rich golden yellow—the color of a golden yellow California poppy. Slightly ruffled, opens 4-5. The best real yellow miniature.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**MARY ANNE** (240—EM) A delightful little blush white with rose picotee border. One of the prettiest of glads and a florist's delight.

L .35; M .25; S 2-.30; Blbts. 10-.25, 100-\$.180

**PELLETIER D'OISY** (290—M) The favorite "green" glad. Color is chartreuse with an orange edge and orange stippling over the flower. Will attract plenty of attention and is wonderful for home arrangements. Limited stock.

L .40; M .30; S 2-.40; Blbts. 9-.25, 100-\$.200

**PETER PAN** (223—E) Deep orange pink with darker throat, a fine self color. Perhaps the most ruffled of all the ruffled heavy textured miniatures originated by Butt. Tall stretchy spikes with 7-8 open.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**PICCOLO** (101—E) A face-up-white with scarlet markings. Very small floret. Attractive in arrangements.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**QUEEN OF BREMEN** (266—E) Lavender with cream throat. Nice spikes with 5-6 open.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**RED BUTTON** (150—E) Very early face up red. Another fine variety for miniature arrangements.

L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25

**RED CAP** (236—EM) A new red that should become quite popular with miniature growers. Tall, stretchy of a brilliant red.

L .30; M .20; S 4-.35; Blbts. 12-.25, 100-\$.150

**SKALAWAG** (242—E) A full sister to Bo-Peep. Dark pink with a clear yellow throat. Heavily ruffled. This will be one of the better miniatures and you will surely want to get a start of it.

L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25, 100-\$.100

**SONOPAL** (263—70 days) Light to medium rose with a bright crimson spot in a yellow throat blotch. It is very striking and attractive. Grows straight and tall on a wiry stem.

**L .25; M 2-.30; S 3-.30; Blbts. 15-.25; 100-\$1.00**

**STATUETTE** (212—E) Yellow with reddish throat feathers. Can top the miniature class at any show as it makes magnificent spikes with up to 9 open, perfectly placed and attached. Not quite as heavily ruffled as some of the others.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**TOYTOWN** (236—E) (Bo-Peep x Twinkles) From the first time this bloomed we referred to this as a super Twinkles. Similar in color it is a fine scarlet with an unmarked deep yellow throat.

Grows 34"-36", an ideal height for a miniature with straight spikes. 17-18 buds, 7-8 open, well placed and attached. Very heavily ruffled and leathery texture. Excellent propagator and grower. Silver medal award, Canadian Glad Growers Trial Grounds, 1953. The top seedling of the year with a score of 90.

**L .75; M .50; S .25; Blbts. 4-.25, 100-\$4.00**

**THE ORCHID** (260—E) Outstanding old timer of light lavender. Visitors at our field always fell in love with this beauty. It looks very much like a real orchid.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**TWINKLES** (232—E) Probably the most popular miniature today. Heavy textured and ruffled bittersweet orange with a yellow throat feathered scarlet. For startling color it is a knockout.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**YELLOW BIRD** (210—M) Clear medium yellow. Tall and always straight grower that can open 10-11. Florets are recurved and well spaced.

**L 2-.25; M 3-.25; S 5-.25; Blbts. pkg. .25**

**ZIG ZAG** (251—M) A light red with splashes of gold in the throat of the 3¼ inch florets. Up to 21 buds with 6-7 open on long flowerheads. Very outstanding variety.

**L \$1.00; M \$1.00; S .50; Blbts. 3-.25, 15-\$1.00**



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10% discount will be given on orders of \$3.00 or over mailed prior to January 1st, 1957. Or if you prefer we will put in extras over our usual extras we give with every order.

We urge you to order early, as in some cases our stock is small on some varieties and we may be sold out of those you really want.

## LARGE FLOWERED

### **GOLDCREST** (Spotlight x Belle Jaune) (412) (Early)

A brilliant deep golden yellow, absolutely unmarked. In addition to its intense pure color, good growth habits and deep green healthy foliage, **Goldcrest** is early and will help fill the need for this color early in the season. Plants average 45" to 47", straight spikes 22', 20 buds and eight open florets set in precise arrangement. Bulbs are excellent in appearance, keep well and increase is excellent.

### **MONOGRAM** (Dauntless x Evangeline) (442) (Early Midseason)

This splendid rose-toned pink blends to a creamy throat and is a truly satisfying and useful color. It's just the color the florists want and the ruffling enhances its appeal. For exhibition purposes it will also be in demand because of its ability to build strong 50" spikes of 20 buds that open 8 to 10 florets on well balanced flower heads of 26", all excellently placed.

### **QUAKER LADY** (Florence Nightingale x Blue Boy) (478)

(Midseason). Although classified as a deep violet, this is not a so-called "blue". Probably bluish lavender most nearly defines it with deeper more violet throat, edged yellow. A decidedly different color not found in any other glad.

Spikes average 48" to 50" with 22" flower heads. 22 buds are usual with 7 to 8 well placed florets open. An excellent exhibition variety and much in demand by florists who find this color adds freshness and appeal to their arrangements.

## MINIATURE

### **ALQUETTE** (Crinklette x Wedgwood) (262) (Early)

This grand ruffled miniature has an appeal all its own. First is its color—fresh rose lavender with a creamy yellow throat sulimely beautiful. Secondly its heavy tetured deeply ruffled florets. Thirdly, splendid straight spikes 40" to 42" in height, 22" flower heads, 18 buds, 8 well arranged florets open.

We confidently predict a splendid future for **Alquette** which has never failed to thrill us each year during its seedling trials. For arrangements—a knockout, and will secure its share of prizes at the shows.

### **AMBROSIA** (Lily White x Alpine) (232) (Early)

A miniature that is really ruffled and with very heavy petal substance. Add to this sparkling color—fresh rose pink some apricot shading plus a creamy yellow throat and you have an unbeatable combination.

Physically it compares with any Miss America beauty. 45" in height, 20" flower heads, 18 buds, 6 to 7 open florets perfectly arranged. Perfect for exhibition use and will make experts out of beginners in arrangements.

### **CORVETTE** (Red Button x Sdlg.) 136) (Early)

The introduction of this variety heralds a new era for all 100 size glads. For too long now we have been content to have 3 or 4 open florets with tiny spikes 10 to 12 buds. The entrance of **Corvette** into this smallest group outmodes all previous concepts of what this class should be.

In color this spanking new 1957 introduction sets a high note. Fine shade of medium scarlet with a darker throat giving it a rich appearance. Spikes are straight and about 42" to 44" in height. 20 to 21 buds is normal with 8 to 9 double rowed florets open. A big styled glad in miniature. Slightly ruffled.

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### **GOLDEN ROSEBUD** (Statuette x Sdlg.) (212) (Early)

To say this is deepest yellow with a hint of chartruese scarcely does this ravishingly beautiful ruffled miniature justice. It needs to be actually seen to appreciate its beauty.

Builds uniformly good spikes of 40" to 42" in height, always straight with 22" to 23" of flower head. 21 to 22 buds is normal and 8 perfectly placed florets open at once. Like its seed parent, **Statuette**, this is a great exhibition variety and will be heard from when stock is available in quantity.

Unbeatable in arrangements since its color permits wide latitude of other colors and accessories.

### **POLLYANNA** (Statuette x Sdlg.) (216) (Early)

Statuette has given us so many fine seedlings and this is one of the best as it provides an exciting new color. Very attractive shade of apricot buff with a clear blending yellow throat, a warm color and a useful one.

Produces excellent spikes easily and continually so it's no struggle to find a good one for the show. 40" to 42" is usual with 22" to 24" flower heads and 20 to 21 buds with 8 perfectly placed florets open.

**Pollyanna** just exudes quality and quantity as most large bulbs produce 2 to 3 spikes.

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### **Important Notice To Our Customers!**

The growing cost of producing our Annual price lists demands that we revise our mailing list.

We want all glad growers who are active to have a copy of our Spring Catalog which will be mailed in January. However, we have no way of knowing if you are still an active glad grower. If you have not made a purchase from us during the past three years your name will be removed from the list unless you notify us you would like to continue to receive future catalogs.

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Our bulbs are state certified—four times inspected: field and storage inspected by Iowa State inspector and personally inspected at digging and shipping time.

### Size of Bulbs

Large bulbs are  $1\frac{1}{4}$ " in diameter or more.

Medium bulbs are  $\frac{3}{4}$ " to  $1\frac{1}{4}$ " in diameter.

Small bulbs are  $\frac{1}{4}$ " to  $\frac{3}{4}$ " in diameter.

Bulblets are the little hard shelled cormlets from which bulbs are grown.

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Bulb prices are as follows:

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20c each	are 10 for \$1.60
25c each	are 10 for \$2.00
30c each	are 10 for \$2.40
35c each	are 10 for \$2.80
40c each	are 10 for \$3.20
50c each	are 10 for \$4.00
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75c each	are 10 for \$6.00
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